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GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL MAY 7

STANTON.

(By P. O. Derthick.)

Let us not forget Sunday School day this coming Sunday.

Miss Margaret Norton was shopping in Winchester, Tuesday.

Rev. Henry Townsend, of Radical, was here on business last week.

J. H. Hardwick of Winchester made a business trip to this place this week.

Henry Wells was taken very sick last week, but is able to be out again.

Mrs. Mollie Johnson and her niece, Perla, were home at Talega over Sunday.

Rev. Sherman Robbins, of Hatton creek, preached in Menefee county last week.

Mrs. Nora West Spurlock left on Wednesday morning to visit relatives in Mt. Sterling.

Mrs. R. C. Eversole and Miss Nora Johnson were in Winchester this week on a shopping tour.

Dr. J. E. Lemming was called to Nada to see the wife of Asa Bowen, who was taken suddenly ill, but is much better.

Thomas Chaney and his son James were over on the South Fork in the Kinsler neighborhood in the interest of a school.

Guy Crowe's house will soon be completed. It is going to be a nice home for the newly married couple and will be an ideal Crowe nest.

Morgan Lyle has had his house newly painted and it adds much to the looks of the place. Charley Rice and Os Johnson did a splendid job.

Mrs. J. S. Ewen and Mrs. Ida Brink, left Saturday for Bowen where Mrs. Brink went to see her brother, Wm. Morton, who is very. We have not heard as to his condition since.

J. C. Patrick had the misfortune to fall out of his buggy one day this week and suffered a severe injury to his left arm. In getting out of the buggy his foot tripped on the step and threw him,

Rev. J. C. Hanley delivered the Commencement Address to the graduating class at Cedar Creek, Tenn. Prof. McConaugh, formerly principal of Stanton College, is in charge of this school now. Prof. Hanley also visited the college at Knoxville.

Richard Crowe held a very successful ten days meeting at Heidelberg, closing out Sunday night. Great crowds turned out to hear him and all were

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Two New Preachers.

At the Powell Valley Baptist Church Sunday morning Dillard Potts and William Smathers two of Powell county's fine young men were ordained into the ministry of that church. The examination was held Saturday night by Rev. J. T. Turpin, of Providence Church, Estill county, and Rev. T. P. Edwards' of Chestnut Stand, Estill county, and both young men passed very creditably.

The charge to the church was delivered by Bro. Edwards and the bible presentation was made by D. D. Potts, one of the deacons of the church. A large crowd was in attendance at the services, and dinner was served on the grounds.

Judge Roscoe Vanover

Judge Roscoe Vanover, of Pike county, whose announcement as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Judge of the Court of Appeals from this district, appears in *The Times*, is from the largest county in the State, and the county having the largest Republican vote in the 7th Appellate District, and is well known throughout Eastern Kentucky. He is 52 years of age, and was raised on Elkhorn Creek in the shadow of the old Cumberland mountains. He taught for fourteen years in the common schools of Pike and Letcher counties, and has practiced law since March, 1895. In his practice he claims to be the representative of the working man, and by ability and attention to business has acquired a large-a practice as any lawyer in Eastern Kentucky.

Judge Vanover is Superintendent of the Sunday School of the Christian Church in Pikeville, a position he has occupied for more than twenty years.

The Darktown Minstrels will show at Stanton College Friday (tomorrow) night.

Owing to the greatly increased cost of paper, ink, and other material used in getting out a newspaper, we must ask all our subscribers who are in arrears to pay up. Look at the date on your paper and if you are in arrears send us Fifty Cents to advance it.

Oil Struck on Clark Farm

Well No. 3 Brings in a good Flow at 300 Feet.

The oil business in Powell county was given a good boost Tuesday morning when well No 3, on the George W. Clark farm, came in with a good flow at 300 feet. B. A. Bonniville, who has had his rig on the lease he secured from Mr. Clark, for the past two weeks, was the successful man, and naturally is greatly elated over the result of his efforts, as he was the first man to come in to the field and his work drew the attention of other operators to the Powell fields, with the result that practically every available acre of land in the county is now under lease, only a few holding out for various reasons.

On Monday a strong gas pressure was encountered by the drill and late Monday night indications pointed to the well coming in. Early Tuesday morning the oil rose to a height of about one hundred feet, and was accompanied by a strong flow of gas, which is regarded by oil men as a sign of a good well.

Mr. Bonniville is now erecting his tank, and will give the well a thorough test with the pump, after which he will move his rig to the Mary Barnett farm, one fourth of a mile from his present location, where he will sink another hole. The Clark wells will not be pumped commercially until there are enough wells to warrant the erection of a power station, and arrangements can be made to ship the oil at a paying rate.

With this strike, the oil business here is now assured and we may look for Clay City to boom in good style before long, as there are hundreds of new men coming in all time, and the probability is that there will be an oil station erected here for the handling of the crude oil. For several weeks past operators have been scouring the country, obtaining leases and contracting for wells, and within two weeks there will be at least three more rigs in operation with others to follow as fast as they can be secured.

Cemetery to Be Improved.

At a meeting held at the school house Saturday night, the preliminary steps were taken to form an association to work in connection with the Cemetery Trustees to improve the condition of the property and make the city of the dead one of the most beautiful in the country.

The Association will be known as the Clay City Cemetery Association, and the following officers were elected: President, Harry Waldron; Vice-President, J. B. Eaton; Secretary, A. M. Burgher, and Treasurer, J. H. O'Rear. John Ringo was appointed superintendent of the grounds, and will have complete charge of allotting space for burial, keeping the grounds in order, etc.

Memberships in the Association will be taken at an annual fee of one dollar, and several have already joined. Those desiring to join should send their application with the dollar to Mr. Burgher, who will issue receipts for all sums received. The financial statement of the association will be published quarterly in *The Times*, showing the amounts received from various sources and the manner in which it is expected.

Little Mary Belle Leach and Victor Pettit were both severely injured a few days ago by running into each other while playing at the school. Both are now able to be out again.

Clean Up Week.

Next week, from Monday, May 8, to Saturday, will be known through out the State of Kentucky, according to a proclamation issued by the State Board of Health. Citizens are urged to clean up their places as much as possible and thereby avoid the probability of disease. Yards and alleys should be thoroughly cleaned and all old cans, rubbish and trash of all kinds removed. Members of the Board of Trustees have stated that the town will supply a team to remove all rubbish that is placed out on the streets by citizens, and advantage should be taken of this opportunity to have a thorough cleaning up. Screens should also be put on now, to keep out the disease breeding fly. Clay City can be made into one of the prettiest places in the state by a little of this work, and if it is not done willingly by the citizens, officials of the State Board of Health will make a visit and enforce the law.

Miss Daniel Injured.

Miss Kate Daniel, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Hisie, at Richmond, for some days, had the misfortune to fall down the stairs, and was severely injured, sustaining a broken collar bone, three fractured ribs and a severe shaking up. Last reports were that she was resting fairly well but would not be able to be out for some time.

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THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1916

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce

G. W. GOURLEY

of Beattyville, Lee County, Ky., as a candidate for Judge of the Court of Appeals for the Seventh Appellate District of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Republican party at the primary election to be held August 5, 1916.

We are authorized to announce

ROSCOE VANOVER

of Pike county, as candidate for Judge of the Court of Appeals for the Seventh District of Kentucky, subject to action of the Republican party at the primary, August 5th, 1916.

THE LOCAL PAPER.

The city papers are all right if you want them, but it is the local paper that advertises your business, your churches, your schools, your societies, sympathizes with you in your afflictions and rejoices in your prosperity. In short, it is your local paper that mentions the thousand and one items in which you are interested during the year, and which you do not find in the city papers. It is the home paper that records your birth, publishes your marriage and chronicles your death. To the great journals—the forty-page compendiums of the daily happenings of the world—you are not even a cipher. To get the least notice from them you must steal \$100,000, commit an atrocious murder or have a dozen living wives. But your local paper watches over you with loving solicitude all the time. If you are sick, it is sorry and hopes you will soon be well. It tells when you come and go and when your house burns down or you build a new one; when Johnny has the mumps or Mary has the measles, and how much little Pete weighs on arrival. And when you require the whole street and both the walks to get home, it shuts both eyes and mum's the word. You take the big papers if you are interested in what is going on in Africa, but if you want to keep up with your biography, take your home paper.

SLADE.

Mrs. Lucy Ledford of Wolfe-co visited here last week.

Martin Ford attended Federal Court at Richmond last week.

Wayne Bowen, and wife, of Rosslyn, returned home Sunday.

Charles Skipper has moved into the house vacated by J. H. Trent.

Mrs. Eliza Day, of Lombard, visited Mrs. Congleton here last week.

Miss Mattie McKnabb of Camp-ton Jet., and Miss Jones of Stanton, were among the visitors here last week.

The Ladies' Aid and W. C. T. U met with Mrs. C. F. Tomlinson of Nada, last Thursday and a very enjoyable afternoon was spent.

Mrs. D. Broaddus and two little daughters, Margaret and Louise, of Irvine, are visiting her

Life of Savage Truly Sensible

Ailments Almost Unknown by Aborigines Are Common Now

The theory that most of the ailments of to-day are caused almost entirely by those habits that distinguish the white man from his long ago brother, the savage, is more widely discussed every day.

The savage, in many ways, was a more sensible being than the man who made war on him and then seized his birthright. It has been said, by medical authorities, that nine out of ten cases of sickness can be traced to a disordered stomach, and that the ailments are due, in large measure, to excessive eating and drinking and to little healthful outdoor exercise.

Common sense should be used in our mode of living. It was with this end in view that Joseph Von Trimbach, the noted chemist and originator of so many health aids, gathered herbs, roots, barks and flowers from the most remote parts of the world and spent years of his life in experimenting and study before he arrived at the solution of the problem of relieving stomach troubles. He named his discovery Tanlac. Tanlac has met with instant favor wherever it has been introduced. It has created a romance in the business world. Hundreds of thousands of sufferers have realized the benefits of this great reconstructive tonic.

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parents Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Congleton, at this place.

Mrs. D. R. Daniel and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Daniel, of Clay City, and Mrs. Nan Benningfield of Rosslyn, visited Mrs. J. A. Bowen, last week. Mrs. Bowen has been very sick, but is improving.

The Nada and Slade schools have been combined and the trustee, R. M. McKnabb, sr., reports 148 scholars in his census report.

This calls for a new school-house or an addition to the old one. We hope to have an experienced teacher or teachers, and a good school.

STANTON.

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delighted with his preaching. The writer was at Bellepoint, Sunday, two miles from him, and heard many speak of splendid sermons he preached. Over 500 heard him Sunday night.

Mr. Ross Hall and I. W. Johnson have both purchased new Ford automobiles from A. T. Whitt, the agent at Clay City. They are getting ready for the new roads that are to be built. We are told that there are two kinds of automobiles, the Ford and the can't-a-Ford. The rest of us will have to be content with the latter.

Jim Chaney ran a nail into his foot while at work in Jackson and had to return home for two weeks. He went back up Sunday to resume his place. If James had staid in school, as he ought to have done, this accident would not have happened. We do not understand why so many of the students drop out of school so near the end of the term. It seems to the writer that something is wrong, somewhere, when students drop out by the dozens near the close of the term. There must be a remedy for this.

The St. Helens boys came down Saturday and locked horns in a double-header base ball game with our boys. Our boys proved too much for them, defeating them, 8 to 6, and 8 to 7, in both games. Mrs. Sylvia Russell and about twenty young ladies from St. Helens, accompanied the boys. The writer talked with two of the St. Helens boys in Beattyville, Monday, and they were loud in their praise of their treatment while in Stanton. They said our boys treated them fine and showed them a good time and they are anxious for a return game.

This coming week, from May 8th to the 18th, is to be known as "Clean up Week" in Kentucky. It is desired that everybody co-operate in this movement and clean up their yards and homes and help make this a clean and healthful town. The Town Board will furnish a team and wagon all the week to haul away all your rubbish free of charge. This is certainly commendable in them and will not everybody gather up the old tin cans, old iron, cast-off shoes and anything that needs to be carted off, and call for this team. These unightly places furnish breeding-places for disease and it will be well worth the trouble.

Mrs. Mollie Mansfield, wife of Dr. C. D. Mansfield, died at her home Thursday of pneumonia fever. She had been in very frail health for some months and when taken with pneumonia her weakened body was unable to fight the disease. Mrs. Mansfield was the daughter of John W. Williams, and she leaves a husband, two children Margaret and William, and her father and several brothers and sisters to mourn her departure. She had a host of friends in Kentucky who regret to know of her death. She wanted to live for her children, but at the age of 48 she was called away. As the writer was away at the time of her death and burial, he regrets that he is unable to give fuller details concerning her life, or those who attended the funeral.

This community was saddened by a tragedy in the death of Miss Mary Lyle. She had been at work in Irvine for two or three years as stenographer in the law office of Robert Friend. During a sick spell pneumonia set up and she passed away last Wednesday morning. Her body was brought here by her mother—who had been at her bedside for a month—and she was buried in the Stanton cemetery. She made friends wherever she went, for she was always a very bright, cheerful and happy girl. She was twenty-four years of age and leaves a mother and several brothers and sisters who regret her death. Among those out of town who attended her funeral were her brothers, Morgan, Ernest and Florin, of Irvine; Naomi Hadden and Mrs. Pierce Keith, of Lexington; Mrs. Reece Wiggin and Mrs. Dr. Martin, of Clay City; Miss Mary Nelson, of Winchester; Charley Maple, J. Tipton, Mark Lyle, Everett and Lou Snowden, of Irvine, and John Lyle, who travels on the road. The writer has only words of sympathy for the bereaved family.

Dr. Edward O. Guerrant, Civil War veteran, philanthropist, beloved minister, Christian soldier and friend of the Mountains of Eastern Kentucky, has gone. May the writer add a few words in humble tribute to this wonderful man of God of whom he counts

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ORPHANS' HOME ITEMS.

Mrs. Little, of Quicksand, visited her children Sunday.

The Society, of Mt. Sterling, sent some hats for the girls.

The Pearl Seekers of Pine Ridge, Miss., sent some clothing last week.

The First Presbyterian Church of Lexington remembered us with a check for five dollars.

Dr. Wickliffe was down from Jackson to look after the eyes of the children. Mrs. Wickliffe accompanied him.

A donation of trees, berry bushes, etc., from Gen. Bennet H. Young, of Louisville, was a very acceptable gift.

Mr. T. J. Kirk gave enough straw hats to take care of each child for the summer—\$2. This is the largest local gift we have received since we were in charge of the work and we are very grateful to Mr. Kirk.

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Sells Land.

T. J. Kirk sold a small tract of land across the river, in the Pompey neighborhood, to W. R. Oasidy, the consideration being \$60.

Sam Lipscomb returned Tuesday from a visit at his home in Winchester.

Blank deeds for sale at The Times office, 5 cents each.



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Mens' and Boys' Suits

It is time for you men and boys to be getting that spring suit. Before making the purchase we invite you to call and see our lines, if you are looking for up-to-date clothing and for the place where you can get the lowest prices. We handle Hart Schaffner & Marx and also "The Matchless Brand" clothing. The styles this spring are unusually pretty and we have them in prices to suit all. Beside the large stock of clothing we have on hand, we have Hart Schaffner & Marx full line of sample swatches, so can get for you any suit you may want from that great and popular line. We have the new things in boys short pants suits too, as well as the staple blues, grays etc. And see our mens and boys hats in Stetson and "Astor Brand," summer hats and caps in palm beach cloth and other light weights, arrow Brand shirts and collars, neckwear, silk and cotton half hose, shoes oxfords and anything you want.

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VAUGHN'S MILL.

(Crowded out last week.)

Go to Sunday School, May 7.

The children of R. P. Wells all have the measles.

Mrs. Herman Hall has been on the sick list for some time.

Thomas Hall has moved to Boss Burdett's place on Plum Creek.

William Martin came home from Wells' saw mill in Clark county, last week with the measles.

The children of W. O. Mize are all able to be out again after several days illness with the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Todd spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Todd's mother, Mrs. Martha Martin, of Snow Creek.

Mrs. J. W. Mize has returned home from a stay with her daughter, Mrs. George Wiseman, at Akron, Ohio. Sam Mize, of Akron, is also home for a few days visit.

The Fish He Caught

A few weeks ago we published a problem concerning the number of fish caught by a man who gave his answer in biblical figures. With the number of readers, we expected to be flooded with answers, but as none have been submitted yet, we publish the following answer:

Add number of books in old and new Testament (66); multiply by number apostles present at Transfiguration of Christ (2); then divide by number of Books written by Luke (2); subtract number of times the Israelites went around Jericho (18); divide by number of spics Moses sent into Canaan (12); add number of letters in the city where Zacheus climbed the tree to see Christ (7), and then divide by number of apostles called Sons of Thunder (2).

So that the problem is thus worked out: 66 multiplied by 3, divided by 2, minus 18, multiplied by 90, plus 7, divided by 2>equals 111, the number of fish caught.

POSTED

The public is hereby warned that all my land is posted and trespassers will be prosecuted.

Mrs. F. W. Williams

Visitors Here.

(Contributed)

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Gibson and Mrs. Gibson's sister, Mrs. Nettie Brown, of Chicago, were the guests last week of their cousins, John and Sam Ringo and Mrs. Laura Tracy and Mrs. Anna Leach. Mr. Gibson is travelling agent for the Wells-Fargo Express Company, and, owing to a rush of business was unable to stay long and left for Chicago Saturday. Mr. Gibson expressed himself as being well pleased with his trip to Clay City and said he would come back soon. Mrs. Gibson and Mrs. Brown are grandchildren of Judge John

French, who was chief builder of the Reh River Iron Works here about 60 years ago. He was one of the greatest mechanics of his time in this part of the country and his grandchildren were glad

to see the place where he had labored and to recall stories of his work. Mrs. Brown also made a trip to Pilot Knob, accompanied by G. B. Leach and Julia Ringo, and enjoyed the view from that altitude. She also made a trip to the old farmstead near Stanton where Judge French last owned, being accompanied on this trip by Mrs. Ann French.

Both Mrs. Gibson and Mrs. French returned to their homes April 20, after a pleasant stay in the country. They and their relatives. It is hoped that they will return again soon.

Avoid Spring Colds

Sudden changes, high winds, shifting seasons cause colds and grippe, and these spring colds are annoying and dangerous and are likely to turn into a chronic summer cough. In such cases take a treatment of Dr. King's New Discovery, a pleasant Laxative Tar Syrup. It soothes the cough, checks the colds and helps break up an attack of grippe. It's already prepared, no mixing or fussing. Just ask your druggist for a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery. Tested and tried for over 40 years.

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Oil Notes.

Anderson & Fitzgerald have let a contract for a well on their Hardwicks Creek tract.

Senator Beatty has returned to his home at Bowling Green, Ohio, for a week's visit.

Thursday morning Mr. G. W. Clark refused an offer of \$40,000 spot cash for his farm on which a paying well was struck Tuesday. The offer was made by some of the oil men.

J. H. McClurkin received a wire from his contractor Thursday morning to the effect that his drilling rig had been shipped from Sullivan, Ind., and would arrive here in a few days. It will be immediately put to work on the Clark farm, where Mr. McClurkin has a lease.

T. M. Beckett, one of the pioneer oil men of this country, was here this week looking over the field. Mr. Beckett drilled the first well in the Campton field, and has completed 75 wells there. He was looking over the situation here with a view to bringing his machines in, and will probably do some drilling here.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

Leader, Miss Carrie Goosey. Subject, the Consecration of Talents, Matt. 25: 14-30.

The meeting will be conducted by the young people, with special songs by the young ladies Sunday School class. Everybody is cordially invited to attend. The meeting begins promptly at 7 o'clock.

Died at Richmond

John W. Hendricks returned Tuesday from Richmond, where he was called by the sudden death of his brother-in-law, Harrison W. Williams, who passed away Monday morning as a result of a stroke of apoplexy. Mr. Williams, who was 69 years old, was in apparently good health, and was talking to a friend at his stone vault when he was observed to stagger and fall. He died almost immediately. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, two brothers and five sisters. Interment took place in the Richmond cemetery.

Advertise in The Times.

EPWORTH LEAGUE

Sunday, May 7, 1916. 6:30, P. M.

Topic—

Consecration of Talent. Leader—Mrs. H. G. Jordan.

Opening Song.**Prayer.****Scripture Reading:**

Matt. 25: 14-39—

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b) Developing talents—

Mrs. J. B. Eaton.

c) Examples of talent—

James Searles.

d) The use of our talents—

Mr. Jordan.

Song.**Talk on Talent. The Pastor.****Song.****Benediction.****PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.****Services Begin at 2 P.M.**

Next Sunday is "Go to Church Day" for Kentucky and we are promised several addresses by visiting brethren, and will also try to have as much of the Easter program as possible. We would like to see a large number present, and especially those who have been in the habit of attending in the past.

Notice.

We desire to state for the benefit of those who are interested, that Mrs. W. C. Seale, who is Principal of the Clay City Graded School, has a Diploma from the Centenary College Conservatory of Cleveland, Tennessee and, also, a Certificate showing that she has finished the four years' course of the Summer School of the South, University of Tennessee. In addition to these diplomas, Mrs. Seale has a State High School Diploma, issued by the Department of Education, Frankfort, Kentucky, which entitles her to teach in any of the Public or High Schools of this State for a period of four years.

KATE S. BOHANNAN,
Superintendent Schools,
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A. M. BURGESS,
JOHN M. KENNEDY,
W. M. C. MARTIN,
Board of Trustees of
Clay City Graded School

**GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL, MAY 7.**

Dillard Douglas, of Levee, was here Sunday.

Dr. I. W. Johnson, of Stanton, was here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shattuck were down from Nada Sunday.

Attorney A. T. Stewart was down here on business Saturday.

Henry Hendricks, of Lexington spent Sunday with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Tomlinson of Nada spent Sunday with Wm. Johnson and family.

Prayer meeting services have been organized at Chop Chestnut and will be held weekly.

The text of the ordination sermon by Edwards at Powell Valley, Sunday, was Malachi II: 7.

There will be special music at the Christian church Sunday school, and all are invited to attend.

C. W. Duncan returned Sunday from Lexington, where he had been in the hospital for a few days.

The barbershops will both be closed on Sundays hereafter, and the ordinance affecting them will be enforced.

Meritt Gambill, who formerly worked at the Pearsite machine shop, was down from his home at Cangel City Tuesday.

R. L. Shimfessel cut his foot in a severe manner a few days ago while chopping some brush, but is able to be around again alright.

D. R. Daniel bought a car of hogs last week. Jeff Wright, of Hardwicks Creek, one of the biggest hog breeders in the county, sold him 21 head.

R. L. Shimfessel cut his foot rather severely one day last week, while cutting some brush, and had to hobble round with a cane for a few days.

Carl Williams, of Lexington, motored up Sunday. Mrs. Williams, who has been visiting her parents here for several days, returned home with him.

Drs. Lockhart & Goodwin, dentists, of Campton, have leased the building of Mrs. Jennie Russell, next to the Central Hotel, and will occupy it about May 1st. Those wanting dental work done should call and see them as soon as they are located. 15-37

B. F. Battinfield, of Lexington, who organized the church at Bowen several months ago, held services there last Saturday and Sunday, to good crowds. Rev. Sherman Robbins has been selected as the regular pastor and will preach every fourth Sunday.

Drs. Lockhart and Goodwin, of Campton, have secured the building next to the Central Hotel, and are opening a dental office. Both these gentlemen are efficient dentists and they should enjoy a large patronage. Their office will be equipped with all modern conveniences.

VAUGHN'S MILL.

Sam Mize has returned to Akron, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Todd spent Sunday with Asa Todd.

Hermon Hall sold a nice sow and pigs to Harrison Strange.

G. W. Wiseman, of Estill co., spent Sunday with J. W. Mize.

There are a number of new cases of measles on Hardwicks Creek.

Hailey Barnett spent Sunday with Miss Martha Barnett, at Shout Spring.

G. W. Bush, our hustling merchant and postmaster, is waiting for the pikes to get to run his automobile.

George McKinney, of Frankfort, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. W. W. Jackson, and other relatives.

An error in our correspondence made it appear that Mrs. Wiseman's baby was a boy, whereas it was pretty little 7-pound girl.

J. W. Mize, who has had a severe attack of the measles, is not doing as well as his friends would like to see him, and he is still very weak.

For Sheriff.

Robert Conlee is quietly circulating among his friends the information that he will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for sheriff of Powell county at the next county election. Robert is a splendid young man with a host of friends and relatives in the county, and is

pretty sure to make a good race for this office, and the people could choose no better man.

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Mrs. Rachel Flinchum

Mrs. Rachel Flinchum died Thursday night at her home on Jefferson street, at the age of 70 years. She is survived by a son, William Flinchum, and two daughters, Mrs. Jolly Neal and Mrs. Myrtle Gaylord. The body was taken Friday morning to Clay City for burial.—Winchester Democrat.

The burial was in the old cemetery at Powell Valley Church, the funeral service being held by Dillard Potts—since ordained a minister. Mrs. Flinchum was a sister of Mr. A. C. Barnes, now of Iron Mound, having many other relatives in this community, to whom The Times tendered the sympathy of the people.

J. A. Roberts, of Guerrant, Ky., was in town this week, and paid us a pleasant call to renew his subscription.

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